

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
112857-179

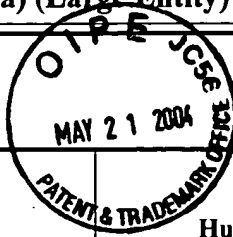
In Re Application Of: Satoru Matsuda

Serial No.  
09/389,803

Filing Date  
Sept. 3, 1999

Examiner  
Huedung X. Cao

Group Art Unit  
2671



Invention: **INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR  
VIRTUAL REALITY AURA SETTING**

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This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of January 16, 2004 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: April 16, 2004    until: May 17, 2004  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	16 -	20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	12 -	12 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$110.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$110.00

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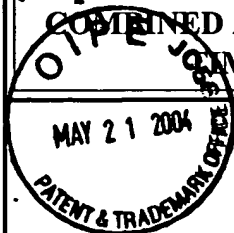
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- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$110.00
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-1818
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-1818

  
Signature

Dated: May 17, 2004

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Applicant(s): Satoru Matsuda  
Appl. No.: 09/389,803  
Conf. No.: 5908  
Filed: September 3, 1999  
Title: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS METHOD AND COMPUTER  
PROGRAM FOR VIRTUAL REALITY AURA SETTING  
Art Unit: 2671  
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This Response is submitted in response to the Office Action dated January 16, 2004.